

REMARKS

Upon entry of this Amendment, claim 1-12 will be pending in the present application. The specification has been amended to correct minor informalities.

If there is any fee due in connection with the filing of this Preliminary Amendment, please charge the fee to our Deposit Account No. 06-916.

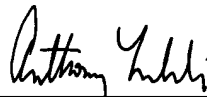
Respectfully submitted,

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Dated:

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Attachment: Substitute Abstract